

Attorney's Declaration No.: 042390.P7483

Patent

In re the Application of: Osborne, R.  
(inventor(s))

Application No.: 09/591,928

Filed: June 12, 2000

For: Method and Apparatus for Single Wire Signaling of Request Types in a Computer System Having  
a Point to Point Half Duplex Interconnect  
(title)

**RECEIVED**

MAR 19 2003

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Technology Center 2100

SIR: Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above application.

Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)
	Claims Remaining After Amd.		Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra
Total Claims	*	Minus	**	
Indep. Claims	*	Minus	***	
<input type="checkbox"/>	First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim(s)			

\* If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.

\*\* If the "Highest No. Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.

\*\*\* If the "Highest No. Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space. The "Highest No. Previously Paid For" (Total or Independent) is the highest number found from the equivalent box in Col. 1 of a prior amendment or the number of claims originally filed.

SMALL ENTITY	
Rate	Additional Fee
X9	\$
X42	\$
+140	\$
Total Add. Fee	\$

OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
Rate	Additional Fee
X18	\$
X84	\$
+280	\$
Total Add. Fee	\$ 0.00

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231

on March 11, 2003  
Date of Deposit

Leah Schwenke

Name of Person Mailing Correspondence

Leah Schwenke  
Signature

March 11, 2003  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_ A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is attached for presentation of additional claim(s).  
\_\_\_\_\_ Applicant(s) hereby Petition(s) for an Extension of Time of \_\_\_\_\_ month(s) pursuant to  
37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

\_\_\_\_\_ A check for \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is attached for processing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.  
\_\_\_\_\_ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 02-2666 the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_.

**A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.**

X The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is hereby authorized to charge payment of the  
following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account  
No. 02-2666 (a duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed):

X Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 for presentation of  
extra claims.

X Any extension or petition fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

BLAKELY SOKOLOFF TAYLOR & ZAFMAN LLP

Date: March 11, 2003

12400 Wilshire Boulevard  
Seventh Floor  
Los Angeles, California 90025  
(408) 720-8300

  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Mark L. Watson

Reg. No. 46,322

Our Docket No: 042390.P7483



H2/A  
C/Baron  
3/26/03

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )

Osborne, R. )

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

Application No: 09/591,928 )

Art Unit: 2786

Filed: June 12, 2000 )

For: Method and Apparatus for Single )  
Wire Signaling of Request Types in a )  
Computer System Having a Point to )  
Point Half Duplex Interconnect )

RECEIVED

MAR 19 2003

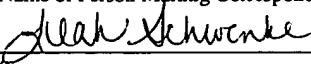
Technology Center 2100

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Box Non Fee Amendment  
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-captioned case, the Applicants respectfully request  
the Examiner to enter the following amendments and to consider the following remarks.

FIRST CLASS CERTIFICATE OF MAILING	
I hereby certify that I am causing the above-referenced correspondence to be deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage on the date indicated below and that this paper or fee has been addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231	
Date of Deposit:	<u>March 11, 2003</u>
Name of Person Mailing Correspondence:	<u>Leah Schwenke</u>
 Signature	<u>March 11, 2003</u> Date

AMENDMENT

In the title:

Presented below is the title, as amended, with changes entered and not marked.

---

 "METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SINGLE WIRE SIGNALING OF REQUEST TYPES IN A COMPUTER  
SYSTEM HAVING A POINT TO POINT HALF DUPLEX INTERCONNECT"

---